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Poetry.

Feet of Size.

Take them up tenderly
Lift them with care;
Fashioned so slenderly—
A beautiful pair!

Look at those number "twelves"—
A sight of themselves!
Made from two ox-hides—
The truth shall I tell?
Made for a young bride—
A Terre Haute belle.

Touch them not scornfully!
Think of her mournfully
Who has to wear them!
To naught on land or sea,
Under the canopy,
Can we compare them!

How were her father's feet?
How were he mother's feet?
How were her sister's feet?
How were her brother's?
What had the maiden done
That she should merit it?
Was it a judgment?
Or did she inherit it?

Alas for the rarity
Of Christian Charity—
Scarcer than pearls!
O! it was pitiful!
To see a whole city full
Of big-footed girls!

Ah! those huge bridal shoes?
Look at their soles!
Laces like clothes-lines
Pass through the holes!
Take her up tenderly;
Lift her with care;
Fashioned so slenderly—
A beautiful pair!

If such were her slippers,
What were her stogas?—
Fabrics of leather like
Two "Saratogas!"
Droves of horned cattle,
While passing around,
Looked at her brogans,
Then pawed on the ground,
Bellowing all the while:—
Knowing full well
The leather required
For a Terre Haute belle!

She's good understanding—
That's mortally certain!
Her footing is proper.
So let's drop the curtain
And pledge in a bumper,
With proper solemnity,
A health to the fair bride's
Pedal extremity!

Selected Story.

The Wrong Pillow-Box.

Mrs. Twillett was originally Miss Eleanor Fussell, with whom it was the destiny of Mr. Bygrave to fall in love. Though he was far from handsome, Eleanor Fussell gradually felt a tender regard for him; and being aware that he had, as has been said, a competency, she allowed that tender regard to wax stronger and stronger, until she many a time caught herself sighing and thinking, "Oh, I wish he would propose!"

Well, he did propose; and yet she became Mrs. Twillett.

Now it chanced upon a day, or rather night, that Mr. and Mrs. Fussell fell a-talking, as anxious parents will do, about the prospects of their children, and especially the lovely Eleanor.

"Nelly's rather hard to please, I fear," said Mr. Fussell, with the sigh of a professional man having limited means and a large family, but with the chuckle also of an indulgent father proud of his daughter's personal attractions.

"Not so hard as you think, perhaps," rejoined Mrs. Fussell, significantly.

"What d'ye mean?" asked Mr. Fussell, petulantly.

"Nelly's a dear, good girl, without any absurd nonsense," said the mother sententiously.

"What's that to do with it?" observed the father angrily.

"A great deal my dear," responded the mother patronizingly. "Nelly has admitted to me that she very much prefers Bygrave. And I must tell you, when he was down here he was hanging about Nelly in the most absurd manner, and making her all sorts of presents."

"He must be brought to book," said Mr. Fussell, with determination. "I shall have to go to town in a few days, and I shall call upon him at his chambers. I shall give him every opportunity of speaking out like a man, and if he fights shy, I'll speak to him. I can't have my Nelly trifled with."

"Take care you don't spoil matters," observed Mrs. Fussell, warningly." You men are so clumsy; my opinion is that Mr. Bygrave is very timid and diffident about his personal appearance, although I did tell him, so far as pretty plain hints can be called telling, that he had nothing to fear on that score. Depend upon it, he will propose in due time, if you keep your awkward finger out of the pie."

"If he does n't I'll know the reason why," observed Mr. Fussell in conclusion.

And he did propose. In fact, he had already proposed at the very time when he formed the topic of conversation between the father and mother of his beloved and loving Eleanor. And the time was April 1, 18—.

Nevertheless, within twelve months of that proposal, though there was no quarrel and no change in Bygrave's circumstances, Eleanor Fussell became the wife of Jame Twillett, a handsome man enough, but, in other respects, no more to be compared with John Bygrave than a Satyr with Hyperion. Above all, Twillett hadn't a competency; he was a young professional man, with fair prospects, certainly, but with little or nothing beyond the proceeds of his profession.

And why was it that Nelly never told her mother of the proposal made to her by Bygrave? Until she became Mrs Twillett she never mentioned that proposal either to her or to any other living soul.

Mr. Fussell was as good as his word. When he paid his due visit to town, he called at Bygrave's chambers. The black door was in hospitably shut, and on it was pasted a piece of paper, bearing upon it some written characters. Mr. Fussell who was near-sighted, adjusted his glasses, went close up to the door, read the handwriting upon the wall, was for the moment struck dumb, and, so soon as he recovered the use of his tongue, made use of severe expressions. What he read was: "Gone to Jericho. Return in about 18 months." That was all, except the chronic notice in white letters upon the black door to the effect that "mesengers and parcels" were to be left at the head porters lodge. To that lodge Mr. Fussell at once repaired;

"Mr. Bygrave appears to have gone abroad?" said he, interrogatively, to the porter.

"Gone to Jericho, Sir," answered the porter pleasantly; "for a little outing Sir; comin' home by way of Afriky in about eighteen months. Letters not to be forwarded. Any message, Sir?"

"Dear me!" replied Mr Fussell, but not to the question; "it must have been very sudden!"

"Mr. Bygrave's rather suddenish gentleman, Sir," assented the porter, with a smile. "I've kuown him to come home late from the Derby on Wednesday night, and be off early next mornin,' just leaveing a note for his laundress to say that if anybody calls he's gone to Bethl'em for a week or two."

"Bethl'em," muttered Mr Fussell; "and a very proper place for him. But," he continued, in a louder tone, "I suppose you don't know why he should have gone to Jericho just now?"

'No Sir, I dont know exactly," replied the good humored porter. "But I can *guess* why he's gone to Jericho."

Mr. Fussell said nothing, but looked expectant.

"You see, Sir," continued the porter, more confidently, "Mr. Bygrave's most intimate friend is a painter, a gentleman that paints Scripture subjects, and that's engaged at present, as I have heard, on a picture of the man that fell among thieves; and Mr. Bygrave, I take it, has gone to pay his friend a visit."

Mr. Fussell thanked the communicative porter, and departed without leaving any 'message.' For the only message he could think of was, "Tell him he's a villain:" and the porter was hardly the proper person to deliver it.

When Mr. Fussell reached his home in the country town where he practiced his profession, he sought the earliest opportunity of being closeted with his wife. In the conference that ensued both were utterly puzzle. How Bygrave should have behaved as he did was incomprehensible. And yet while appearing to have fled from and jilted their daughter, the young man had really proposed.

Nobody, however, would have guessed that he had, to judge from Nelly's behavior. A face as pale as a lily, nights devoid of rest, and pillows wet with tears, followed immediately upon the announcement made to her that Bygrave had gone away gone without a word or a letter; gone after the significant speeches he had made, cecretly in her own ear, and openly before the family; gone, not to return for eigeteen months at the least; gone, leaving a request behind that letters should not be forwardered, and not leaving any address to which they could be forwarded. Then appearently, came the stage of womanly pride and just resentment. Her heart was scarred indelibly, but her face recovered its bloom and its brightness. And Twillett became the accepted lover. Twelve months rolled away and she became Mrs. Twillett. The happy honeymoon was over; she returned to her native town to a snug little house on its outskirts; and in the very first week of her return, as she sat in her boudoir waiting for her husband to come home, a letter was brought to her from her father's. The envelope was a large blue one, and bore an address which accounted for its having been sent to her father's—*Miss Eleanor Fussell.* She smiled as she broke open the cover, but the smile was succeeded by a frown and a start when she perceived inside the cover a second letter. This second letter was blood red, and as she looked at the handwriting, she trembled exceedingly, and a smothered cry escaped her white lips.

It may be remembered that on the night of a certain 1st of April, 18—, Mr. and Mrs. Fussell had a conversation about the propriety of bringing Mr. Bygrave to propose; whereas Mr. Bygrave, it was remarked at the time, had already proposed. Well, at dusk on that same 1st of April, a raw country lad might have been observed in Fleet-st, with a letter in his hand, and staring and gaping inquiringly about him. At last a gleam of intelligence and satisfaction lit up his face, and he moved hastily toward an iron pillar-box which stood by the roadside, and near which some mischievous young arabs of the London streets were playing.

"What a letter-box? Here you are, my boy: shove it in that hole at the top," said one of them, in the most friendly and insinuating accents, to the country lad.

"Oi know," replied the country lad, with a look of superior knowledge and experience, as he carefully droppedthe letter in at the suggested hole, and walked off with an air of satisfaction.

"Oh! you April fool," shouted the arabs after him; but he either didn't know what they meant, or believed in its being impossible that any boy whatever would infringe the law which forbids the making of 'April fool' after 12 o'clock at noon. At any rate, he went his way regardless of scoffs.

"O dear! O dear!" screamed the treacherously frendly arab, laughing as if his very sides would burst; "he's bin and gone put his love letter in the dust-bin; that he have."

As the country lad passed one of the archways that led from Fleet-st. into the Temple, he was brought to a sudden stand-still by a stentorian shout.

"Thomas!" cried a voice, which made the country lad jump.

"Here oi be, Muster Boygrave," answered Thomas, with a tug of his front hair, and a broad grin at the gentleman who had called him.

"So you've posted my letter?" said the said the gentleman.

"Yes, Muster Boygrave, oi've done it," answered Thomas with unconscious equivocations.

"Bravo! Thomas," rejoind the gentleman kindly, "you've done your first errand in London splendidly. I watched you from here almost as far as the pillar-box; but I could n't see quite all the way. You didn't have any difficulty I suppose?"

"Noa; I found t' pillar, and I popped up into t' slit a-top."

"That's all right; and I was glad to see you took no notice of those young ragamuffins who seemed to be laughing at you. Now you can go, good night."

And away went Thomas with an expression of unbounded self-content.

Thomas was the son, or rather one of the sons of a poor widow who had lately lost her husband by an accident while Bygrave was on a visit to the Fussells, and it was only one of those many generous actions which, partly reported of him, and partly known of her own knowledge, had tended to endear him to Eleanor Fussell, when he undertook to find schooling, and occupation, and a livelihood for Thomas in London. But how came Thomas to be entrusted with the posting of Bygrave's letter? Why, thus: the letter was addressed after a fashion which makes most bachelors living in chambers do their posting for themselves, in order to avoid prying eyes, significant looks, well-meant but offensive allusions, and the tittle tattle; and so Bygrave had intended to post himself as he walked down to his club, but having encountered Thomas in the very nick of time, and Thomas not yet having eaten of the tree of knowledge so far as to be able to decipher hand writing or even print, he seized the occasion of giving Thomas a lesson in the art of performing the master's behest. He had directed Thomas to pop the letter into the first pillar-box he came to; he had watched Thomas going the right course; he had seen Thomas halt close to the very spot where the nearest pillar-box stood; and he had observed with satisfaction that Thomas promptly returned, and disregarded the many chances that offered of a game or a fight with a dozen of street boys. He was as satisfied about the safe lodgment of the letter as if he had dropped it into the box with his own hands; and he never gave it a second thought.

And within ten days, he, to the great astonishment of Thomas, started off on a sudden to Jerico.

Let us return to Mrs. Twillett. She had just strength enough left to tear open the blood-red letter and read as follows:

"MY DEAREST ELEANOR: These very words will tell you my story; if it were not for the confession I am about to make and the bold request I am about to urge, I ought not, and I should not, dare to use them. My confession is that I love you, for love is a word that in my vocabulary includes everything that longer words are generally used to express; and my bold request is that you will be my wife. Many a time during happy days I lately spent at your side I have been on the point of pleading my cause to you by word of mouth, and asking for your sentence upon me; but I could not bear to hear a possible refusal from your sweet lips. I determined to write; for I know how tender your heart is, and by writing I should spare you the pain that I know you would feel were you to witness the effect it would have upon me if you were to tell me that my case is hopeless. And if it be, I will not put you to the disagreeable necessity of telling me so in writing or otherwise. Let this be our compact: If I have hope, send me one short note, and I will fly to you at once; if I have none, do not write at all. I will wait a week; and if, by the 8th of this month of April I receive no dear, encouraging, hopegiving, beautifying little note, I shall know that my fate is sealed, and my future misery insured. I shall go abroad, to Jerico; there I have a friend, a painter of sober subjects; he will sympathize with me; he is engaged in painting a picture of the man that fell among thieves; he will figuratively, pour wine and oil into my wounds; he will probably avail himself of my expression for the countenance of the wounded man himself. If I were not aware how excellent your nature is, how lightly you esteem what those who havn't any of it call dross, in comprison with moral worth, and how great a sin you consider idleness, I would add, as if in my favor, that, though I am not rich exactly, yet I have a considerable independent income. However, knowing as I do know your noble opinions as to the dignity of labor, it might tell against me rather than for me if I were to suggest that my income of £1,500 a year would enable us to scrape along (if I may use the expression), without the necessity of doing anything, menial or otherwise, for a livelihood; but I may surely say that such a position, being regarded by the world as an advantage, would give you a certain influence and certain means likely to be of assistance to you in your efforts to obey the generous instincts which I have always so gratefully admired in you. External graces to recommend me I am fully conscious I have none; my looking-glass tells me so with cruel plainness, and I fear that I am equally badly off for any kind of personal merits, unless, indeed, there be some small merit in having recognized and devoted myself to the best, the loveliest, the sweetest of her sex. Oh! Eleanor, have pity upon me and make me happy forever. Each hour will be a hundred years as I wait for that fatal 8th. I shall have my luggage all ready; and if by the morning of the 8th I receive no letter from you, I shall accept my destiny in silent despair, and start forthwith for Jerico. I shall return, if indeed I do return, by way of Africa, where if I do not court, I shall certainly not shun the deadly weapon of the savage, and the deadlier fever of his climate; and should we meet in future days, pray behave to me as though this long letter had never been written, as if there had never been any thing but friendship between us. Believe me to be, my dearest Eleanor (for I must write it again), your most passionately attached and devoted admirer, lover, and—in any case—friend.

JOHN BYGRAVE."

Mrs. Twillett was quite overcome. She kissed the blood-red letter over and over again; and she whimpered as the tears trickled unheeded down her cheeks:

"His face, the darling, what did I care for his face! But I'd no notion he had so m-n-much as fif-fifteen hundred a year of his own. But what does it all mean?"

And she turned for explanation to the other letter, which ran as follows:

"SHADY FARM, May, 20, 18—.

Mr Ploughman presents his compliments to Miss Fussell. Though I have not the pleasure of knowing you, miss, I thought it my duty to forward the letter; and I hope it will be in time. The way it came to Shady Farm was singular. Excuse my mentioning top dressing in connection with a lady, but having had a load of the same down lately from London, and being at work putting it on the four-acre field, we found the letter quite accidently right among the dressing. Pray don't be frightened at the color; it's only Condy's fluid; we thought, considering what the letter had gone through, it might be the better for a good soaking and disinfecting. Hoping you'll find it not much the worse, I remain, yours respectfully,

THOMAS PLOUGHMAN."

"There must have been some dreadful mistake somewhere," murmured Mrs. Twillett; and as the strange fate of poor Bygrave's proposal presented itself vividly before her, her sobs became mingled with screams of laughter, until her experienced maid, correctly surmising hysterics, appeared unsummoned, and 'brought her to.' So that Mrs. Twillett was quite calm, and had removed all traces of the letters by the time her husband came home.

While Bygrave was absent, the education of Thomas had been progressing, and had soon

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FUGITIVE THOUGHTS ON AGRICULTURE. NO. 2.

The condition of the industrious Farmer is the very best for receiving the results of his labor. It cannot be said that every good he receives is the result, strictly, of labor beforehand paid. This may be seen from an illustration. Take a piece of land in a state of nature. The farmer clears it, cultivates it, and receives its fruits. The sun must shine, the rain descend and the air act its part on it; all of which the Creator has given him before hand. His labor, that by which he merits his products, is at the same time that which is most conducive to his physical and moral well being. His labor, then, is nothing compared with what has been given him beforehand. How little is the price he has to pay for it!

——The living operations of Nature are the chief sources of all our knowledge, and every Farmer has the opportunity to watch, while at the same time it is to the interest of his business.

"The winds, the clouds, the ever varying sky,
Hours, days, nights, months, and seasons, as they fly
In quick succession, through their circling range
The Summer leaves that fade, and flowers that die
Employ his thoughts."

——The manual labor on a farm is the least part of the Farmer' work. Unless labor is guided by an intelligent mind it will be what the lawyers call a *brutum fulmen*—a blind and senseless effort.

——CATO, when asked the best rule for farming replied, *"bene pascere"*—to graze well. He meant that the animal product of the farm should equal the vegetable. The annual deterioration of land in the United States has been estimated at ten cents per acre. This is fearful in the aggregate, and has been caused by a disregard of this rule. Every farmer should manage, in some way, to bring back on his farm as much as he takes away.

——Consider, for a moment, that the aggregate productive power of land depends upon the quantity rendered available for vegetable life—whether this aggregate be of great superficies and shallow depth, or of limited surface and greater depth—the absolute quantity of available matter, the proportions being preserved, will remain the same. If one man cultivates one hundred acres to the depth of four inches, and his neighbor, with only fifty acres, plows only eight inches deep, each in point of fact, cultivates the same *quantity* of ground. The only difference is, that one has to spread over a larger space than the other. And as much of the cost of cultivation depends almost exclusively on the *extent of surface*, it is clear the more condensed the farmer's operations the better. It is cheaper to raise thirty bushels of wheat from one acre than it is to raise it on two; and so with all other crops. The real extent of every farm may be enormously enlarged *downwards*, without buying the land, without increased taxation, without additional cost for fencing, keeping all snug, compact, so that, by deep ploughing the contingencies of the weather may almost be defied.

THE NEW ORLEANS AFFAIR.

The outbreak in New Orleans, to which we called attention in our last issue, was clearly in defiance of law, and threatened, as did the rebellion itself, to overturn the foundations of government. We know there has been a controversy as to who is the rightly elected Governor of the State—KELLOGG or MCENERY, but this does not change the aspect of the case. KELLOGG had been duly installed in office and the whole machinery of government was moving under his authority. If he was not rightfully in power there was a legal method of proceedure to secure his removal. And even if the Courts and authorities of the general Government decided wrong in his favor, it would still be the duty of the peaceable citizens to submit, waiting for time to restore their rights, in as much as armed sebellion would be utterly hopeless. An inferior officer under any government may be wrongfully in power, he may not have been duly elected or appointed; but when he is once in power legal steps and not rebellion must be resorted to for his removal, and while he continues in official position his authority must be submitted to.

There was not a shadow of hope of success in the revolutionary proceedings characterizing this whole Louisiana affair. The entire demonstration, culminating in the shedding of blood and the loss of life, was a crime against society and against government. And more than this, at a time when the great mass of of the nation were crying for "peace," for the allaying of animosity between the North and the South and a restoration of kindly feeling between the people of both sections, this insurgent and revolutionary outbreak comes to the surface and thwarts it all. And as the result the innocent must suffer for the crimes of the guilty.

SENATOR CONKLING ON THE SITUATION.

At the recent New York Convention Senator CONKLING made a lengthy and able speech. After referring to the unwise course of the Southern leaders of the old Bourbon school, and the trains of evil that ensued, he says:

Do the authors of this mischief relent? Is it proposed by lawful and peaceful means to right these wrongs? Not at all; but violence, bloodshed and revolution are the attempted remedies. White Leagues, Ku-Klux-Klans, a war of races. These are the remedies—a sort of despotism tempered with assassination. Look at Louisiana and the uncounted murders that have stained her soil since last July. What is the special complaint there? Why, that Kellogg was counted in as Governor, when, in truth, McEuery was elected. Suppose he was; we in New York have known equal wrongs; it is an open secret than John T. Hoffman was counted in as Governor when John A Griswold was elected. We did not know then that in two cities 30,000 was falsely added to the count, but we had far more conclusive evidence that Mr. Hoffman was not elected than has yet been discovered in the case of Mr. Kellogg. But we did not organize armed and masked bands to murder and to burn. We did not compel Federal and county officers to resign on a promise of sparing their lives, and then murder them in cold blood. We did not slay women and children by the light of their burning homes. Finally, we did not seize by force the Capitol of the State, shoot down the police, barricade the streets, and inaugurate a reign of terror on the ruins of the law. Yet all this has just happened in Louisina. The tidings flashed through the land, and as on the ship all turn to the captain in a storm, so the nation turned to the President and asked, "Watchman, what of the night?" Promptly came answer from the firm soldier, and quiet magistrate, who never yet blanched in the presence of danger, and never shirked a responsibility which duty threw upon him. In a few words he gave the insurgents five days to undo their work, as far as their deeds could be undone, and at the same time, he made such orders for the disposition of troops as gave a grim warning that at the end of five days the beak and claw of national power would tear in pieces the fabric of lawlessness and riot. This warning was enough. The rebels know Grant, and they did not wait for even a regiment. They were willing to take his word for it, and stop if he would. Thirteen years before a Democratic President had he been inspired by a like spirit, might have stayed the rising tide of the revolution which deluged the continent in blood. Had Buchanan been Grant in 1860, and had Grant been Buchanan in 1874, the fate of both occasions might have been reversed. Had insurrection triumphed last week in Louisiana, there is not a Southern State in which white men's leagues, a war of races and a bloody grapple for the ballot-box and the State Government would not have been the order of the day.

MODERN DEMOCRACY.

There are many persons still living who believe that the old frigate "Constitution" could, in a fair sea fight, sink the best iron clad that floats. They forget that time has wrought changes, and refuse to believe that the old ship that carried our flag through a hundred victories has become so rotten in the timbers and worm eaten in her planks that a first class wave would destroy what once defied the heaviest guns of England. It is so with the old Democratic ship. It has still, here and there, an admirer who believes it just and strong as when JEFFERSON launched it, and as capable of great triumphs as when JACKSON won for its name honor and glory. They forget that time has dealt unkindly with what was once strong and praiseworthy; that the "hickory" ribs of JACKSON's days have hardly strength enough to hold the paint and putty of these latter days. It is no injustice to its early record to say that the old hulk is thoroughly rotten, as unfit to be the flagship of public policy as a sieve would be to cross the ocean in a gale of wind.

We have nothing but praise to bestow on the earlier days of Democracy. We make war, not on its honorable record, but on its dishonorable career. If we are glad to remember that it once felt the influence of patriots, and statesmen, and earnest friends of freedom, we cannot thereby shut out the fact of its degeneracy or blind ourselves to the knowledge of its present management and its recent treasonable efforts to destroy what it once helped to build. We support the Republican party for what it is to-day, and boast of its glorious past because its present is no dishonor to it. What the party was it now is and we hope will be for a score of years to come.

THE NORTHERN ELECTIONS.

The indications of the results of the Northern elections are growing more cheering every day. As the time approaches to again make a choice between the Democracy and Republicans—the disposition is to stand by the party whose past and present records are equally worthy of praise. The people feel that to permit the Democracy, with all its recent infamies still covering it, to come again into power would show a degeneracy unworthy the American character. The great mass of the people of the North, the East, and the West still have faith in the Republic, and in the noble party which is now guiding it to a higher plan of civilization. They feel that the ascendency of the Republican party means the future glory of the nation.

It is a remarkable coincidence that ever since the war, as often as events at the North seem to promise a reaction, or in other words, as often as there are signs of Democratic activity or symptoms of possible success, the flickering lamp of treason and murder in portions of the South flares up in the socket. These facts cause thoughtful men everywhere to feel that the mission of the Republican party is far from being ended, and that a Republican Administration is just as important still as ever.

MONEY IS SCARCE IN WINDSOR, when we left here last week there was one dollar and seventy cents in town by actual count. We are happy to say, however, that we brought back enough to increase the pile to two dollars.—*Windsor Times.*

Poor and needy as Editors proverbally are, the CAROLINIAN alone wouldn't back out from a banter to *double* the 'pile."

The Republicans of New York held their State Convention last week. They renominated Gen. DIX for Governor. The proceedings were harmonious. It is conceded that the Republicans will carry the State. The platform adopted is terse and comprehensive. It refers to the history of the party as its best pledges for the future, supports the Government in its efforts to preserve peace and maintain order in the South, insists that the public faith must be maintained and the national debt paid in coin and commends the general policy and results of President GRANT's administration.

DEATH OF GUIZOT.

M. GUIZOT, the eminent French statesman and historian, died on the 13th inst. in the eighty-eighth year of his age. He was born at the beginning of the French revolution. He attained eminence during the first empire. Since the fall of Napoleon the First, his name has been always joined with that of France. It would be hard to say whether he was more distinguished as a patriotic statesman or a philosophic historian.

The New Orleans *Republican* says that the White League organizations are branches of the Democratic party—the purpose of the two organizations being really the same, the defeat of the Republican party through violence, and its final overthrow, and the re-establishment of the Democratic party in authority at Washington. Fortunately for the country, they have shown their bloody hands in time to save the coming elections.

The New York *Tribune* was founded by HORACE GREELEY. Under his management it grew up to be a power in this nation. It is reported that the paper is now largely owned by JAY GOULD. During the past two years it has lost its influence and power. A wag, in speaking of the *Tribune* says that its tombstone will probably bear the following inscription: "Founded by H. G.; Foundered by J. G."

A female Masonic lodge exists in Harrisburg Pa., under the title of "Lilies of the Valley."—*Ex.*

We suppose the members of the Order find something else to do than to toil and spin.

Our Book Table.

The October magazines are led by *Harper's*, which contains more than the usual amount of illustrations. New Hampshire comes in for a large share of public attention in an article upon Portsmouth, by T. B. Aldrich, full of quaint incident and excellent descriptions, and in an equally interesting paper upon the Isles of Shoals. The first of a series of articles by M. D. Conway, upon Decorative Art and Architecture in England, is occupied chiefly with the Albert Memorial, and is one of the best illustrated papers ever published in this monthly. The poetry is by J. T. Trowbridge and R. H. Stoddard, and every department of the magazine is well sustained.

The *Galaxy* is also promptly on hand, and has its usual variety of solid and entertaining reading. The article upon Marshal MacMahon, by General Reclus, concluded in this number, and is full of vivacity and interest. A careful written essay upon Communism and the Commune is from the pen of a Spanish author; Rose Terry Cooke continues a lively sketch of a trip in New England, and Mrs. Hooper furnishes a gossipy article on Dress; Justiu McCarthy concludes his novel, and the poetry and subordinate parts of the magazine are as readable as usual.

Lippincott has two articles profusely & very quaintly illustrated: A continuation of "The New Hyperion," and "A Visit to the Dolomites," with an article on "The British Peerage," by Reginald Wynford; "Malcolm," by George Macdonald, &c., &.

The interest of the *Popular Sience monthly* for October centres in the addresses by Professors Tyndall and Huxley before the Belfast meeting of the British Association, both of which are here republished by the Messrs. Appletons. There is an accompanying article upon "Tyndall's Relations to Popular Science," by Prof. Helmholtz, several brief illustrated papers, a discussion of Mental Physiology, by Dr. J. C. Bucknill, and other important articles.

Old and New reprints President's White's essay, which was read at Detroit, upon the relations of the National and State Governments to Education, and two chapters of Trollope's story, "The Way we Live Now," with a few other light articles.

Number ten of the *Aldine* is one of the richest numbers yet published. The illustrations of the "Wartburg" are exquisite, as also those of an interesting article upon "St. Paul's." "October Days" is a gem, and the other full page pictures are of more than usual merit. The *Aldine* is indeed *the* art journal of America.

The *Ec'ectic* for October is embellished with an admirable engraving of President Porter, of Yale College. The selections are made with the editor's usual taste and judgement, and include every variety of contemporary litrature.

Jas. Freemen Clark furnishes a very interesting paper to the *Atlantic Monthly* upon the question, "Have Animals Souls?" in which he takes ground against the automaton theory of Huxley. There are good poetry and fiction, personal sketches, and two admirable critical articles upon Theodore Aubanel and Berthold Auerbach, in the same number.

Scribner's closes the list with a chapter in "The Great South," which is of especial interest in view of the condition of things in Louisiana. It has a new chapter from the "Mysterions Island' of Jules Verne, some excellent short sketches and good poems, and an able analysis of George Eliot as a novelist, by Prof. W. C. Wilkinson. The number is marred by some entirely unjust and unworthy flings at Christean ministers by the editor in his "Topics of the Time." But we are getting accustomed to slurs upon the ministry as a body from this source, and can only say that in the present instance they are without foundation outside of the editor's imagination.

Col. S. D. POOL has commenced the publication at Raleigh of a monthly Magazine under the title of "Our Living and Our Dead." It will embrace three prominent departments—Historical, Descriptive and Statistical, and Educational. It claims that it will be "devoted to North Carolina, her Past, Present and Future." It will be published monthly, containing 96 pages of reading matter, and will be sent to any address one year for $3.

CORRESPONDENCE

Items From Hertford.

HERTFORD, N. C., September 26th, 1874.

The protracted meeting heldat the Cedar Grove church last week, resulted in the accession of seven (7) members to thatch urch and the conversion of other persons, who will join Methodist churches in other localities. The efforts made by the officiating ministers add new lustre to their general reputation.

The merchants of this place left for the North on Monday the 21st inst. They anticipate a good trade this fall and will make their purchases to suit the demands.

The farmers of our county have commenced to pick their cotton in downright earnest. It is thought by some that the yield will be much larger than at first anticipated.

A protracted meeting is now being held at Bethel church five miles from this place under the direction of Benj. Williams, who is assisted by E'd T. Harison, Thos. Babb, W. Leary and D. Cohen. Quite a number of conversions have resulted and an unusually lively interest is manifested in the meetings.

EGO.

Proceedings of County Commissioners.

OFFICE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
E. City, Pasquotank Co.,
September 28th, 1874.

The Board of County Commissioners met to-day. Present Dr. P. John, Chm'n; Geo. W. Brothers, A. F. Stafford, Emanuel Davis and B. B. Johnson.

The Board proceeded to revise and correct the list of Jurors as provided by law.

John L Wood, late Sheriff, informed the Board that he was ready to settle the balance of School money in his hands, it was ordered that he pay the same, to wit: $395 31 over into the hands of Thomas Meads, Treasurer.

It was ordered that the Court House lot be leased at public letting on Monday, Oct. 5th, 1874, at 2 o'clock P. M., the highest bidder to have the use of it for one year.

After consulting with a number of persons familiar with the condition of Newbegun Creek Causeway it was believed unwise to proceed with the public letting, as the work could not possibly be done to advantage at this late season of the year, it was therefore withdrawn. But as a foot-way is indispensable it was agreed to furnish the material for the same delivered at Newbegun Creek, and the Overseer of Nixonton township ordered to have the work done. It was estimated that it would take 2500 feet of heart plank, 2 x 12 inches and 150 posts from 2½ to 3 feet long. A Committee, coosisting of Geo. W. Brothers and Emanuel Davis were appointed to ascertain what the same could be furnished for. After visiting different mills they reported that the lowest bid was made by W W Griffin, agreeing to deliver the same at Newbegun Creek within three weeks. It was ordered that Mr. Griffin be awarded the contract, for $75.

Thomas Pailin of Nixonton Township made application for Retail Liquor License, which was granted.

Ordered that Thomas Gaskins be authorized to furnish Robert Bow Sr., $1 per week in provisions until further notice, for the support of his invalid wife.

The following orders were allowed:

$8.23 to J S Wilcox for services as Register, &c.; $3 to Tim Bow for police services at last election; $4 to P A Hinton for two days services as Clerk in Newland; $4 to Emanuel Davis for two days services on Board of Education last year; $12 to Jos H Jones of Newland for six days services as Township Trustee and receiving tax list; $4 to Joseph Jackson of Mt. Hermon for two day's services as Clerk; $5 to Simeon Browsier for hauling lumber to Wilton's Bridge, and $12.50 to W F Pool for legal services in State cases

P. JOHN,
THOS P. WILCOX, Chm'n
Clerk.

Proceedings of Board of Education.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.,
September 29th, 1874.

Board of Education met to-day. Present Dr. P. John, Chm'n; Geo. W. Brothers, A. F. Stafford and Emanuel Davis.

The object of the meeting was to apportion the School Fund among the several Districts of the County. It was found that the probable amouut of the School Fund of Pasquotank County would be $3000 00. The census shows the number of School children to be 2800—an increase of 500 over last year. The apportionment was made as follows:

SALEM TOWNSHIP.

1st Dist. white	$50.	1st Dist. colored	$20
2d "	" 58	2d "	" 87
3rd "	" 75	3rd "	" 81
4th "	" 40	4th "	" 80

ELIZABETH CITY,

White	$346.	Colored	$315.

MT. HERMON.

1st Dist. white	$43.	1st Dist. colored	$43
2d "	" 67.	2d "	" 73.
3rd "	" 49.	3d "	" 80.
4th "	" 60.		
5th "	" 22.		

NEW LAND,

1st Dist. white	$66.	1st Dist. colored	$ 72.
2nd "	" 88	2nd "	" 150.
3d "	" 45.		

NIXONTON.

1st Dist. white	31.	1st Dist. colored	$98.
2nd "	" 57.	2d "	" 54.
3rd "	" 52.	3d "	" 75.
4th "	" 45.	4th "	" 48.

PROVIDENCE.

1st Dist. white	$66.	1st Dist. colored	$51.
2n "	" 57.		
3d "	" 76.		

The subject of submitting the question to the people of laying an additional School Tax, sufficient to keep the schools open for a longer period, was fully discussed. It was decided not to move hastily, but to await the expression of public sentiment and to act accordingly. As soon as satisfactory evidence is had that the measure, which the Board feel to be an important one, will be carried an election will be ordered.

On motion the Board adjourned.

P. JOHN,
THOS. P. WILCOX, Chm'n.
Sec'ty.

Too Late.

The way men put off important matters to the last moment is one of the curious things in nature. The fifth concert in aid of the Public Library of Kentucky was advertised to take place July 31. The day after August 1, Gov. Bramlette, the manager, at Louisville received over $50,000 for tickets. Had the drawing taken place at that time the Governor would have had to send this money back, but as the concert was postponed to November 30, it was all right with them. We presume that on the first day of December next, the day after the concert, thousands of dollars will be received, one day too late, for there will be no further postponement. This money might just as well have been sent a week before, as when it was.

"Sixty dollars for a thrashing machine!" exclaimed an East Side boy when he saw the card on one for sale, recently. "why, mother only pays two dollars a pair for her slippers."—*Milwaukee Sentinel*

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MISS MARTIN'S SCHOOL.

THE next session of Miss SOPHIA E. MARTIN'S School will open on MONDAY, OCTOBER 5th, 1874.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Sept. 30, 1874.

Prospectus

OF THE

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E. City, September 9th, 1874.-12-4t.

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12-4t. On behalf of the Committee.

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APPOINTMENTS.

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Norfolk, Va.,	Atlantic Hotel	"	21st
Hertford, N. C.,	Eagle	"	24th
Edenton, "	Principal	"	25th
Plymouth "	Hassell	"	27th
Windsor "	Principal	"	28th
Jackson "	Jackson	" September	5th
Murfreesboro, N. C	Spencer	"	7th
Gatesville "	U. S.	"	8th

and at Elizabeth City, Albemarle House, September 10th where he will remain a MONTH or SIX WEEKS for the purpose of treating Cancer and kindred diseases. those wishing his services must apply at once as his time is limited. 8-4t.

Nags Head Hotel,

SUMMER OF 1874.

This popular Hotel will be opened for the reception of guests on the

1ST OF JULY

Regular Steamers will run from Elizabeth City, Hertford and Edenton during the season.

Arrangements are being made for an abundant supply of ICE. and the Table and Bar will be supplied with the best the market affords.

The charge for Boarding by the month with furnished rooms will be $40. Families will be boarded at special rates.

Servants and children under 12 years of age will be charged only half regular rates children over 12 years of age will be charged two-thirds special rates of families.

Board per Day	$ 2.00
" " Week	12.00

For further particulars inquire of the undersigned at Elizabeth City, N.C.

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NOTICE.

On and after TUESDAY, 30th inst., the Old Dominion Steamship Company's new and splendid Steamer PAMLICO, Capt. T. M. Southgate, will leave the Company's Wharf Norfolk, every Tuesday at 6 A. M., for

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Returning will leave Washington at noon Thursday, Nag's Head at 6 and Elizabeth City at 11 A. M., Friday for Norfolk.

For further information apply to Capt. W. A. HARNEY, Elizabeth City.

THOS. WEBB,
July 1st, 1874. Agent

State of North Carolina } IN SUPERIOR COURT.
County of Martin. }

Levi S. Jones and W. H. Jones, Plaintiff.
Against
D. H. Youngblood and wife Sarah E. Youngblood, Defendants.

Petition to Sell Land for a Division.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the action of the Sheriff and affidavit of Levi S. Jones, one of the above named plaintiffs, that the defendants, D. H. Youngblood and wife Sarah, cannot be found in this county and are supposed to reside beyond the limits of the State.

It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the North Carolinian, a newspaper published at Elizabeth City, for six successive weeks, notifying them to be and appear before this Court at the Clerk's office in Williamston on Monday the 26th day of October next, then and there to plead, answer or demur to the complaint of the above named plaintiffs otherwise the same will be taken pro confesso as to them, and an order for sale made accordingly.

Witness Joseph M. Siterson, Clerk of said Court, at Williamston this 4th sept. A. D., 1874

JOS. M. SITERSON,
13-6t. Superior Court Clerk.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING LONG BRIDGE!

SEALED proposals for repairing Long Bridge, over Charles Creek, will be received by the Mayor and Commissionsrs of Elizabeth City, at their regular meeting on the 1st Monday in October 1874; the repairs to be according to the following

SPECIFICATIONS:

There shall be six good substantial piles, three on each side of the bridge, driven at the ends of the three center benches, on which piles there shall be fastened solid pieces of timber, at least five feet long and bolted to the benches; that about one third of the present plank being good, shall be put at one end of the bridge and the balance, two thirds, be replaced by good heart pine plank 3 inches thick, and that a new hand rail be made where the old one was for the footway on the bridge.

THOS. GASKINS, Clerk.
14-2t Sept. 19th, 1874.

NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

ENGLISH AND CLASICAL HIGH SCHOOL,

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The scholastic year will begin the Third Monday in September, and close the Second Thursday in June. The system of instruction will be made preparatory to any college, a University specified. Thoroughness in every branch of study shall be our aim.

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Board (including lights and fuel)	$110.00
Tuition, in English and Mathematics	40.00
" in Ancient & Modern Languages each	10.00
" in Book-keeping, double entry,	5.00
Total expense for board and Eng. course for scholastic year	$150.00

Every pupil will be charged from time of admission, and no deduction will be made from published charges, except in cases of protracted sickness.

One-half payable *invariably* in advance, and the remainder at the *middle* of the Session.

REV. JOS. H. RIDDICK,
[formerly Prof. Anc't Lang. & Mathematics at Kitrell's Fem. College], Principal.

JULIAN TAYLOR, A. M.,
Prof. Anc't & Modern Languages & Mathematics, [Graduate of University Va. 2-3m.

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NORTH CAROLINIAN

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 30 1874.

TO NORTHERN VISITORS.

Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the north should take passage on the Bay line steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

Prospectus of New York Herald.
Postponement impossible.
Miss Martin's School.

Local and Personal.

☞ "Odes to Autumn" are now in order. But don't send us too many.

☞ Gold at New York 109¾, cotton 16¼; Cotton at Norfolk, 15c, corn $110.

☞ Court at Columbia, Tyrrell county next week. Judge EURE presides.

☞ The Methodists and Baptists are holding protracted meetings in different sections.

☞ Two colored men were arrested in Salem last weeek on the charge of stealing hogs. One was committed to jail: the other escaped.

☞ The Steamer *Pamlico*, on its last trip to Norfolk, had a cargo of 141 bales of cotton, all from this section of North Carolina.

☞ One of the Sewing Machine Agents is anxious to know if the proverbial "stitch in time which saves nine" is a *hem stitch*. Who can tell the "feller?"

☞ A cotemporary says that if anything will impress the human mind with awe, it is the expression of a man's face who has just been aroused from snoring in church.

☞ "Nothing succeeds like success" is an old but very true adage. People usually adopt a good thing if they find they can't hinder it. It is the way of the world.

☞ Gates County Court last week did not continue over a couple of days. No cases on the Civil Docket were tried as Judge EURE was interested as counsel in nearly all of them.

☞ The Hotel at Nag's Head closed for the season on Monday. The families have all returned. Now that our people are all back again let business resume its usual course.

☞ The weather is delightful, the atmosphere invigorating. The season has been healthy and but for the scarcity of money, occasioned by last year's failure of the crops, no one would have just cause for complaint.

☞ "Goods speak for themselves," but it is only after they are bought that they can do so. An object in advertising is to induce people to buy them and test them. If goods speak for themselves, a good advertisement may also speak for the goods.

☞ In reply to "Trustee" we would say that under the amended School law the office of District School Trustee has been abolished. The entire business and management of the schools heretofore divided between the Trustees and the Committees now devolve upon the latter.

☞ The Cemetary having grown up with weeds, we have employed a force to cut them down. We hope the owners of the enclosed lots will now attend to destroying the weeds that have grown up in them before the seeds ripen. Do it at once.

☞ Let every farmer resolve to get something ready for the Fair. Remember it takes place in the last week in October. Bring a good horse, a nice cow, a fat hog—a something to add to the exhibition. Let all feel a pride in making a good show for these eastern counties of the District. There *is* local pride and public spirit among us. Let it be demonstrated in a way that will be advantageous.

☞ One of the dailies at the State Capital has evidently been disturbed in its dreams at the effort of some ardent beginner in singing, It has made him wrathy, and he madly insists that there ought to be a law passed prohibiting those who can't sing from attempting it. Wouldn't that be cruel? As most singers have first to *learn* and *practice*, wouldn't the enforcement of such a law put a stop to singing? And what then?

☞ On referring to the proceedings of the County Commissioners it will be seen that the letting for repairing the Causeway at Newbegun Creek was withdrawn. From a thorough investigation they became satisfied that the work could not be done at this season of the year advantageously to the county or satisfactorily to the people most interested. But a footway being indispensible, provision was made to aid the Township in building one.

☞ While we believe in rigid economy in Town and County expenditures, avoiding all needless expenses and lopping off abuses, we are nevertheless the advocate of internal improvements and in favor of properly aiding important public enterprises. The fostering of these is not extravagance. They add to the public benefit and increase the revenues of both the city and county in the taxes paid into the treasury. Parsimony is not economy, nor is the spirit that would discourage the investment of capital in improvements the one we can commend. We hold it to be the duty of public officials, while guarding the public interests, to be careful they do not over step the mark in blocking the wheels of development and progress that invariably work for the public good.

☞ We continue to recieve letters inquiring for openings here for clerkships etc., Once for all we would say that the market is already overstocked. There is no opening for clerks or for professional men nor for drones. We have a full supply of all. But there *are* openings for live men who have capital and who know how to use it.

☞ The interest taken in the last Fair by the ladies contributed largely in making it the success it was. Their department was the theatre of universal admiration—blending the useful with the ornamental, in almost endless variety—and furnished from the little girl of ten years up to the contributions of the grandmother. To them the managers felt largely indebted and we are authorized to say on their behalf that if the ladies of city and country will continue their handiwork and taste at the coming exhibition such a thing as failure cannot be known.

☞ "The strength of the American Republic," says a writer, "is the universal desire to own a house." It is a moulding all the people into one heterogeneous mass The ownership of a house is something of which neither the Irish peasant nor the German laborer has, in his own country, any conception; but it is here the goal of his hopes and desires. Education comes next; it is a something the need of which is not felt until adornments of home are thought of.—This desire to own the roof under which one sleeps is distinctively an American characteristic, and seems by nature adapted to the growth which is raising us in importance in the scale of nations.

☞ Our attention has been called to an Act passed by the last General Assembly entitled "A Bill to prohibit the sale of cotton within certain hours." As the cotton picking season is now upon us we are asked to publish it:

"The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to buy or sell cotton between the time of sunset and sunrise, brought or carried in a basket, hamper or sheet, or in any way where the quantity is less than is usually baled, or is not baled.

SECTION 2. That any one offending against the provision of the Act, shall be deemed and held guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be punished by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding one month."

☞ The Board of Education met on Tuesday & apportioned the School Fund to the different school Districts. They likewise discussed the question of calling an election submitting the subject, to the electors of the County, of laying such additional school tax as will be absolutely necessary to continue the schools over two months. As an election cannot be held without considerable cost they desire to have expression so far as possible from the people of the different sections of the county on the subject. To order an election and have the question voted down would be burthening the tax payers without accomplishing any good. Just so soon as the Commissioners become satisfied that the people desire it they will cheerfully order an election.

Local Briefs:

Parties fond of squirrel shooting are now having a good time.—How anxious everybody seems to see and read the NORTH CAROLINIAN.—An old colored man in Providence township, this county, owns a pocket knife which he claims once belonged to GEO. WASHINGTON.—There is talk of a series of popular lectures here this winter.—The number of boarders taking their hash at the county jail has been increased,—Sheriff PRICE will commence sitting in the Townships for the collection of Taxes on Monday next.—The posters for the Fair are out and are being distributed.—Miss MARTIN's school will re-open on Monday next.—Bids for the lease of the Court House lot for one year will be received by the County Commissioners on Monday next.—Subscribe for the NORTH CAROLINIAN. Only $2 a year.—Dr BENTLY, the Cancer Physician, is at the "Albemarle House."—A storm and high tide yesterday.

Local Port-Folio.

The end of the world—money making. A stamp act—treading on people's toes. Sounding on a bar—rapping for drinks. Really the very last thing out—street lamps. The men that have the most ups and downs in life—the hod carriers. A bundle of contradictions—democratic platforms. A running account—the description of a race. Always running itself down—a clock. To make money—advertise. On the ragged edge of despair—the boy with a hole in the seat of his new trowsers. An African conundrum—Why am intoxication like a wash-bowl? 'Case it am de basin.

Business Locals.

New Goods arriving at the "cash and one price store" of Fowler.

New attractions and latest styles at Fowlers on Water Street,

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Bring your work to the CAROLINIAN office. It will be done quickly, neatly and cheaply.

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As to the plowing of clover sod for the corn crop in the Fall, it will depend greatly upon the character of the soil, and the condition of the sod. A heavy clay should be plowed under any circumstances in the Fall. If there is a good burden of aftermath it may be plowed at any time; if the aftermath is light, as long as it will grow it should be left to do so. A light soil will be injured by Fall plowing, and at the best it can gain nothing. It will be made compact by the rains of Winter and Spring, and must be cross-plowed in the Spring, by which the half-rotted sod is brought to the surface where it is useless and is wasted. But the clay, when plowed, remains rough and lumpy, until the Spring thaws reduce it to a condition of fineness and mellowness that no Spring plowing or harrowing could produce. And beneath this mellow surface the sod remains as it was turned down, only as yet partly or but slightly decomposed, but prepared for the most rapid decomposition as soon as the warmth of a May sun reaches it. —IS.

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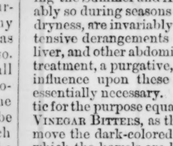

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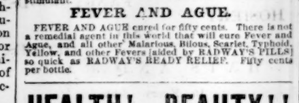

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